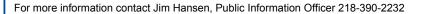


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DATE: 08/26/2012

**NATURE OF INCIDENT: Traffic Advisory** 

CASE NO.:

INCIDENT DATE:08/26/2012

INCIDENT TIME: 2:00 PM to 7:00 PM

**INCIDENT LOCATION: 6th Avenue East and Fourth Street** 

**SUBJECT: Festival** 

BY: Officer Bill Stovern (218) 390-2297

Traffic Advisory HillFest Festival

On Sunday, August 26<sup>th</sup> 2012 the HillFest Festival will take place on 4<sup>th</sup> Street from 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue East to 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue East. The Festival starts at 2pm and ends at 7pm, however street closure times vary.

At 12 noon 4<sup>th</sup> Street will be closed to traffic from 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue East to 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue East, and also from 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue East to 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue East for event setup. During this time 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue East will remain open to traffic.

At 1:30pm 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue East will also be closed from 3<sup>rd</sup> Street to 5<sup>th</sup> Street in addition to 4<sup>th</sup> Street.

Downbound 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue East traffic will be diverted at 5<sup>th</sup> street; East toward 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue East and West toward 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue East.

Northbound  $6^{th}$  Avenue East traffic will be diverted West on  $3^{rd}$  Street toward  $5^{th}$  Avenue East.

The Festival ends at 7pm at which time 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue East re-opens. However 4<sup>th</sup> Street remains closed until 8pm for Festival tear down.

Northbound DTA buses will travel East on 2<sup>nd</sup> Street to 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue East, turn left up 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue to 5<sup>th</sup> Street and turn left to 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue East where it will continue northbound. Southbound DTA buses will come down 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue East and turn left on 5<sup>th</sup> Street, then right on 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue East to 3<sup>rd</sup> Street where they will turn right and continue westbound on 3<sup>rd</sup> Street.

Motorists in the area of the Festival should slow down and drive with care, and watch for signs, barricades, pedestrians, and Police Officers directing traffic.